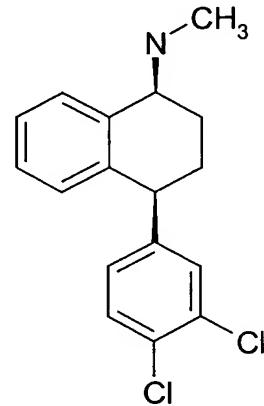


PHARMACEUTICALLY ACCEPTABLE SALTS OF SERTRALINE
AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS THEREOF

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention is directed to certain pharmaceutically acceptable salts of the
5 therapeutically potent selective serotonin reuptake inhibitor, sertraline:



and pharmaceutical compositions thereof, wherein said salts are selected from the group consisting of the p-toluenesulfonic acid salt, the fumaric acid salt, the benzenesulfonic acid salt, the benzoic acid salt, the L-tartaric acid salt and the (-)-camphor-10-sulfonic acid salt.